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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Dmitry Gabrilovich et al.

Serial No.: 09/526,320

Filed: March 15, 2000

For: DENDRITIC CELLS TRANSDUCED
WITH A WILD-TYPE SELFGENE
ELICIT POTENT ANTITUMOR IMMUNE
RESPONSES

Group Art Unit: 1636

Examiner: Unknown

Atty. Dkt. No.: INRP:074/SLH

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
37 C.F.R. 1.8

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September 21, 2000

Date

Steven L. Highlander

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS DATED MAY 22, 2000**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

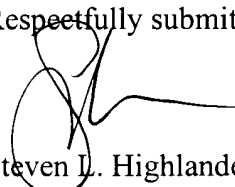
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including September 22, 2000 in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 22, 2000.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$1920.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$380.00) for a two month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an

overpayment be included herein, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/10019784/SLH.

Respectfully submitted,



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